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## PATENT

**Applicant:** Koblish et al.

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**Title:** Loop Structure For  
Positioning a Diagnostic or Therapeutic  
Element On The Epicardium Or Other  
Organ Surface

**Group Art Unit:** 3739

**Examiner:** Unassigned

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### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.